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COLLECTOR'S NOTICES.

Mr. A. H. Tabor, will call upon our subscribers in Westons during January.

Mr. S. S. Abbott, Agent for Farmers, will call upon our subscribers in Androscoggin and Oxford counties during December.

AD-5 Record of A Year.

Into the realms of the past where all the other years have gone space, has passed 1881. Standing upon the threshold of another year, with greetings to the readers of the FARMER appropriate to the season, it might be deemed a proper time for morali-

zing. But that is not our purpose, but simply to take a glance backward and see what the year has brought us in its more prominent events.

The public events which will make the year 1881 forever memorable in the history of the world, will be readily recalled. Assasination has laid its violent hand upon two of the earth's great rulers. Two men, who in different ways and under widely varying circumstances had labored and planned for the welfare of the condition of man, have been taken down in the prime of their powers, and all the world has stood agast at the twin floods of horror.

The United States tenderly expressed the sincere sympathy of its people for the Russians and in unmeasured terms reproached the dastardly crime which deprived them of their emperor. The world had hardly recovered from the shock pro-

duced by Alexander's immolation on the bloody altar of nihilism, when in another quarter another victim, the last in all this world around whom the wildest conjecture would have woven the web of fate, went down under the murderous hand of re-

venging malice. The story of Garfield's heroic suffering and pathetic emoval moved a world to tears. Those tears have watered the flowers of human kindship and the fragrance of that sweet bloom will not be forgotten on the donor's place.

These eighty days of patient suffering had such healing and sanctifying effects upon the nation, so softened and made tender the hearts of men, that it was often remarked that Garfield's death was more beneficial than his life possibly could have been.

The year closed with the trial of the miserable assassin still in progress, and with the prospect of his conviction.

The death of President Garfield led to the succession of Vice-President Arthur to the Presidency. There was some disposition to receive his succession sullenly; but this soon died away, and sedulous has been received with more favor than the gentleman who is Chief Magistrate of the American Republic. The future of his administration will be observed with the greatest interest. The manner in which everything has gone on in the affairs of the nation since the assumption of the quiet assembling and organization of Congress for business, is another proof of the wisdom, and solidity, the stability and permanence of the great American nation.

Public order was not disturbed for one moment; public credit was not shaken in the least, and the public faith at home and abroad was maintained.

The general character of the year has been bad. The weather has been severe and fickle, and consequently destructive to many pursuits. That mighty interest, cotton cultivation, has suffered much, and the number of bales of cotton produced is supposed to be not so large by about one-fourth as it was in 1880. This year's crop is believed little to exceed 5,000,000 bales, and the difference is stated to be about 1,000,000 bales in a twelvemonth. The re-

duction in the wheat crop also is very large; that is in the crop of Indian corn. Glassware has sunk in value, and pleasure-trips into sudden graves. In the typhoon at Shanghai two hundred vessels of all nationalities were driven ashore, uprooting trees and leveling whole lines of houses. Tea, to the value of \$600,000 was washed away and destroyed. Manzanillo was obliterated by a storm; every craft in the bay sent ashore. From forty to two hundred were reported killed by the land-slide at Canton Glarus, and this midnight. The flood in Italy carried devasta-

tion in its wake. Hurricanes have made whole towns as though they had never been. Propellers have founded with their crews, and yachts have been parts to eternity. The opera house was buried at Nice, and one hundred lives sacrificed. At Vienna eight hundred victims fell in the grand hall of the historical arena. Michael fires have paroxysmically taken over the cities of Ohio lost by flame her insane asylum, one of the finest in the world, as also the electrical school; Texas its capitol building at Austin; State library and museum, car-chase, mill and factories have shared this fate. Express trains have been thrown from tracks, barges grounded, and Arctic vessels lost. The "Mexican railroad horror" is fresh in our memories. Diphtheria held fearful sway in Russia; cuts suffered in India, and horses in America. The West has been devastated by cyclones, and gun powder explosions have not been rare.

The general business of the world has been fair. In our own country the public revenue has been large, and the public debt considerably reduced. Good news of some kind has been funded at lower rates of interest. Peace has been preserved with many nations, and we have not had to kill many Indians.

The Yorktown celebration of capitulation of the British forces and the close of our revolutionary war, with Winthrop's great oration, as well as the renewal of the story of Bunker Hill, by the same distinguished orator, are also events that will become historic. The Irish disturbances, with Britain's land bill for their amelioration, the elevation of Gambetta to the premiership of France, and Russia's honey-combing by nihilism and official rotteness, are, equally, events that will go at length upon the record. Little has been done in the Arctic fields; apprehension was felt, and to whom succor had been despatched, have appeared like phantom forms in distant lands. Their heroic endurance flashed on the boards just as the black curtain fell. The Paris exhibition of 1867, there was a fair at Milan; exhibitions at Melbourne and Sidney; a Manufacturers' display at the Mechanics' Fair, Boston, and the grand Egyptian Antiquities exhibition of the Revised Version of the New Testament is the most distinguished event of the year in the religious field, and from which the world has learned to feel deeply foretold. In religious thought and sentiment there has been almost universal desire.

We might extend our review and take in the eminent dead in literary, artistic, and journalistic circles of this and other lands. We might speak of the terrible indignities to the world's affairs. May those who live to write up the record of another year chronic the year that shall stand to us the grand aggregate of joy and happiness and purity to the whole human race.

RAILROAD HORROR. The most fearful railroad disaster that ever happened in Maine, occurred on the Boston & Maine Railroad on Monday. The noon train from Boston to Portland was fifty minutes late. Two engines were attached, but at that time one engine had run about thirty miles an hour. While crossing the iron bridge at Cole's Corner, Wells, the bridge gave way, after the engines, baggage and part of the cars down an embankment, and the other four cars down an embankment, and were totally destroyed. The bridge was broken, and iron structure, about thirty feet long, and is comparatively a new one. The road was built but a short time. Last week the railroad commissioners met over the road, and the one among the number, the first engine went over all right, and the second one had run about the time when the engine started, and was driving the last car over the edge of the abutment. The end of the smoking car, which was next to the drawing room car, crashed into the wall of stone and was smashed into kindling wood. The next, a new passenger car, went over the embankment on end, followed by another passenger car also on end, with the upper end resting on the brick, the cars being badly broken at the joints. The iron bridge on the train, kept the track, but telescoped with the car in front, smashing with the car of both cars and breaking the steel axles.

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